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CHAPTER 556

Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Western District of Oklahoma to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the Stamey Construction Company and/or Oklahoma Paving Company.

Stamey Con-struction Co. and Oklahoma Paving Co.

62 Stat. 929. 62 Stat. 928.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the District Court of the Western District of Oklahoma to hear, determine, and render judgment according to law with respect to the loss, if any, sustained by Stamey Construction Company, Hutchinson, Kansas, and/or Oklahoma Paving Company, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, as their interests appear, under Reclamation Bureau contract (12 r-16294), Schedule of Specifications Numbered 1374, Altus project, Oklahoma, arising out of or attributable to the alleged failure of the Government to supply materials as provided for in said contract: Provided, That the passage of this Act shall not be construed as an inference of liability on the part of the Government of the United States. Such judgment shall be subject to appeal by either party pursuant to title 28, United States Code, section 1291, and action thereon by the court of appeals may be reviewed pursuant to title 28, United States Code, section 1254.

Sec. 2. If the court shall enter a final judgment in favor of the claimant, the court shall cause such findings and judgment to be certified to the Secretary of the Treasury, who is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the amount set forth in said findings and judgment to the Stamey Construction Company and the Oklahoma Paving Company, as their

interests may appear.

Approved July 3, 1952.

Private Law 779

CHAPTER 557

AN ACT

For the relief of Carl M. Campbell, James R. White, and Frederick J. Powers.

Carl M. Camp-

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, (1) to Carl M. Campbell, Greenwood, Massachusetts, a sum sufficient (not to exceed \$3,764.91) to satisfy the judgment recovered by the said Carl M. Campbell against Frederick J. Powers, Boston, Massachusetts, on July 17, 1950, in the Superior Court for Suffolk County, Massachusetts (case numbered 384784); (2) to James R. White, Wakefield, Massachusetts, a sum sufficient (not to exceed \$4,148.88) to satisfy the judgment recovered by the said James R. White, against Frederick J. Powers on July 17, 1950, in the Superior Court for Suffolk County, Massachusetts (case numbered 384814); and (3) to the said Frederick J. Powers, a sum equal to \$7,913.79 less the amounts paid by the Secretary of the Treasury under (1) and (2), but in no case to exceed the total amount which may have been paid by the said Frederick J. Powers in partial or full satisfaction of such judgments. The payment of the sums specified in (1) and (2) shall be in full settlement of all claims of the said Carl M. Campbell and James R. White against the United States and the said Frederick J. Powers arising out of a collision which occurred in Boston, Massachusetts, on August 3, 1942, between a mail truck operated by Frederick J. Powers as an employee

of the United States postal service and a motorcycle operated by the said Carl M. Campbell and on which the said James R. White was riding as a passenger. The payment of the sum specified in (3) shall be in full satisfaction of all claims of the said Frederick J. Powers against the United States for indemnification for losses he suffered by reason of judgments recovered against him as a result of such collision: *Provided*, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act for the payment of any one claim in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with such claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved July 3, 1952.

Private Law 780

CHAPTER 558

AN ACT

For the relief of Margaret Frankel.

July 3, 1952 [H.R. 1847]

Margaret Frankel.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Margaret Frankel, of Woodside, Long Island, New York, the sum of \$895.82. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all claims of the said Margaret Frankel against the United States arising out of her suspension as an employee of the Civil Aeronautics Administration during the period beginning August 17, 1948, and ending November 18, 1948: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved July 3, 1952.

Private Law 781

CHAPTER 559

AN ACT

For the relief of Gertrude Manhal.

July 3, 1952 [H.R.2221]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purposes of the immigration and naturalization laws, the alien Gertrude Manhal shall be held and considered to have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence as of the date of enactment of this Act, upon payment of the required visa fee and head tax. Upon the granting of permanent residence to such alien as provided for in this Act, the Secretary of State shall instruct the proper quotacontrol officer to deduct one number from the number of displaced persons who shall be granted the status of permanent residence pursuant to section 4 of the Displaced Persons Act of 1948, as amended (62 Stat. 1011; 64 Stat. 219; 50 U. S. C. App. sec. 1953).

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Quota deduction.